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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re application of : **Confirmation No. 4373**  
Hiroshi HIRAI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_0629A  
Serial No. 10/532,677 : Group Art Unit 1624  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated August 23, 2007, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

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